

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the first paragraph on page 12 of the specification as follows:

For identification, the eluted substance corresponding to this band was collected, dried (speed vac) and subjected to peptide analysis. In a sequence analysis of the N-terminus the sequence TPDVS (amino acid residues 1 to 5 of SEQ ID NO:1) was determined. The molecular weight determined by means of the mass spectrum (ESI MS) is 6630 ± 15 D. These results correlate unambiguously with the known data for human apolipoprotein C-I (cf. for example (3)), which has the peptide sequence according to SEQ ID No. 1 (cf. also SWISS PROT Accession No. 3660227) and has a theoretical molecular weight of 6627 D.